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RE: Opposition to SB738, SB 457, SB 874

I am strongly opposed to SB 738, SB 457 and SB 874 and any other bill that opens the door to forced regionalization of Connecticut Public Schools. I am a 25 year resident of Wilton, CT. As a resident of Wilton, I am concerned about the potential impact of larger school sizes, decreasing administrators and decreasing community involvement in our schools. It is very concerning that none of the bills mention school quality, people select and move to towns because of the quality of the schools. I strongly believe that regionalization of schools would erode the quality and character of our local schools and would negatively affect the character and quality of our town.

I sincerely hope these bills and any other legislation that opens the doors to forced regionalization be opposed.

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